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In re Patent Application of:
Heinrich Schubert

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For: DEVICE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF
ANASTOMOSES BETWEEN HOLLOW
ORGANS

Examiner: D. P. Erezo

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Advisory Action dated April 16, 2012 and the Office Action dated December 19, 2012, finally rejecting claims 1-19 and 21-30, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.